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The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - Drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwritings, interlineations, folds, and copy marks.

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FOR: METHOD OF FABRICATING A
MONOLITHIC EXPANDED BEAM
MODE ELECTROABSORPTION
MODULATOR

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Responsive to the Office Letter dated February 25, 2002, enclosed
are the substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84.

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